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Liberal: "Yes, everything is very high, and not available. In order to buy shoes, one must have luck. In the general situation, there is work, but I don't know how far the money will go. In the upper class there is much discontent because they say that demagoguery is used a great deal in everything."

Unknown: "And on the conspiracy here?"

"I learned at the Embassy that the Argentine Government was protecting Liberal: those three Chileans who went there, Davila, Moreno, and the other one,

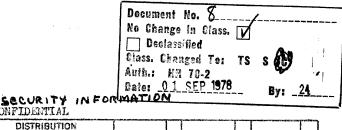
because they knew that they were going to be kidnapped also ... "

"But how...they who are protecting them...Ah, I understand now, they Unknown:

thought they would be kidnapped from here ... "

Liberal: "Exactly. I'll tell you more in the Senate..."

2. Source expressed his opinion that the above conversation can be interpreted to mean that the Argentines are afraid that the Chilean police might try to kidnap Juan Diego Davila Basterrica, Jose Adolfo Moreno Vergara, and Enrique Paut Barron, and take them back to Chile to testify in the Maass-Soto case.



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